

(c) Realisations from the Local cess are utilised for the maintenance of roads and communications and for promoting public health within the Jahgir area through the Jahgir agency. The Education cess collected is being credited to Government.

(d)—

Year	Local cess.			Education cess.		
	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
1930-31	2,466	11	6	1,944	0	4
1931-32	2,995	3	4	1,479	2	5
1932-33	2,999	9	8	1,485	10	10
1933-34	2,760	0	0	1,385	0	0
1934-35	3,161	5	7	1,581	3	10
Total	14,382	14	1	7,875	1	5

The Local cess collected was utilised for improvement of roads, providing fresh communications, for medical relief and for other local needs.

(e) *Vide* reply to clause (d).

MR. TUDKI RAMANNA GOWDA (Tirthahalli Taluk).—

Q.—36. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) What is the amount of Education cess collected every year in Shimoga District from 1931 to the end of 1935 ;

(b) How much of it was given for primary education ;

(c) What is the amount spent for middle school education ?

GENERAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—36. (a) Statement of Education cess collected in the Shimoga District since 1931-32 to 1934-35 inclusive and 1935-36 (Budget) :—

	Rs.
1931-32	58,800
1932-33	54,100
1933-34	51,400
1934-35	52,200
1935-36	52,000 (as per Budget)

(b) The whole of it is used for primary education.

(c) No amount is now spent for middle school education. But a sum of Rs. 13,000 and odd which was being spent on middle schools prior to the formation of the Elementary Education Fund was included in the account of expenditure sanctioned to be met out of the Education Cess Funds and deducted from the total expenditure taken into account for fixing the Government grant.

MR. V. V. IYER (Shimoga Taluk).—

Q.—39. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) Has it come to the notice of the Government that in Mysore State educated young men without employment are increasing daily ;

(b) What is the number of educated men who have applied to the Central Recruitment Board for appointments ?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.—

A.—39. (a) Government are aware that there is unemployment amongst educated young men.

(b) Figures are not easily available.

MR. TUDKI RAMANNA GOWDA (Tirthahalli Taluk).—

Q.—40. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) What is the amount of assessment that is being collected on the arecanut gardens of Tirthahalli, Nagar, Sorab and Koppa Taluks every year (details in respect of each taluk to be given separately);

(b) What is the amount of expenditure incurred to raise arecanut crops; have the Government collected statistics; if so, how much;

(c) Has it come to the notice of Government that the price of arecanut has fallen and it is being sold at Rs. 5 to 6 per maund now;

(d) Are Government aware that, in view of the existing low price for arecanut the garden owners are reduced to poverty and find it difficult to realise for their garden produce money sufficient even to meet the cost of cultivation and to pay kandayam on their lands;

(e) Have Government found out what the average income per acre on *bagayet* lands is as per present rates; if so, how much;

(f) What is the average assessment per acre on these *bagayet* lands in each taluk;

(g) What is the income and expenditure per acre according to the report of the Director of Agriculture;

(h) When was that report sent; what was the price of arecanut then?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

		Rs.
A—40.	(a) Tirthahalli	...
	Nagar	...
	Sorab	...
	Koppa	...
		54,654

(b) Please see answer to clause (g).

(c) Yes.

(d) No.

(e) Please see answer to clause (g).

			Rs.	a.	p.
(f)	Tirthahalli	...	...	13	0 0
	Nagar	...	...	10	0 0
	Sorab	...	...	7	6 0
	Koppa	...	...	10	0 0

(g) Expenditure Rs. 90 to 200; income Rs. 90 to 210.

(h) In December 1935 Rs. 6 to 8 per maund.

MR. B. MARULAPPA (Hosadurga Taluk).—

Q.—42. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) (i) Whether they are aware that the Vedavati river is flowing through the Hosadurga Taluk crossing the Holalkere-Huliyar road at Kellodu;